MISSOURI REAL TIME **LABOR MARKET SUMMARY**

MISSOURI OVERVIEW OCTOBER - DECEMBER 2020



141,716 TOTAL JOB POSTINGS

74% PERMANENT FULL-TIME JOBS

ST. LOUIS CITY WITH THE MOST JOB POSTINGS

Missouri is comprised of 114 counties and the City of St. Louis. The St. Louis and Kansas City regions combine to make up 58 percent of the employment of the state.

TOP 10 EMPLOYERS TOP INDUSTRIES Mercy Health SSM Health Care 27% **HEALTH CARE &** BJC HealthCare SOCIAL ASSISTANCE Saint Luke's Health System Lowe's Companies, Inc. Hospital Corporation of America Washington University 13% **RETAIL TRADE** CoxHealth Truman Medical Centers 8% ACCOMMODATION & FOOD SERVICES The Home Depot Incorporated 8% **MANUFACTURING COVID-19 and the Job Market** FINANCE & 8% During the quarter of October to December, Missouri's economy **INSURANCE** continued its recovery from the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic. While not all businesses have been able to return to pre-COVID employment levels, particularly in the leisure and hospitality sector, the quarter did show evidence of employers interested in hiring across the state. The Health Care and Social Assistance sector, along with Retail Trade, were the leading industries for job postings throughout Missouri. 36%

STATEWIDE TOP JOB POSTINGS

| DDE POS | STINGS | AVERAGE WAGE |
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| | | |
| 1-2031 | 4,305 | \$28,470 ★ |
| -4051 | 3,757 | \$35,910 🛨 |
| -7062 | 2,816 | \$32,020 ★ |
| 5-3021 | 2,014 | \$22,390 ★ |
| -5081 | 1,775 | \$28,820 ★ |
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| I-4012 | 3,824 | \$69,410 🛨 |
| -3032 | 3,716 | \$46,360 ★ |
| 41-1011 | 2,699 | \$43,630 ★ |
| 1-1014 | 1,939 | \$26,490 ★ |
| 9-9071 | 1,862 | \$39,740 ★ |
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| 9-1141 | 9,776 | \$64,160 * |
| 5-1199 | 2,692 | \$81,730 |
| -9199 | 2,625 \$ | 5108,010 |
| 5-1132 | 2,591 | \$92,510 🛨 |
| 11-9111 | 1,697 | \$111,450 |
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ENOTES THE TOP 10 OCCUPATIONS BY TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTED OPENINGS IN NOW, NEXT, AND LATER CATEGORIES

SOURCES: BURNING GLASS, LABOR INSIGHT - BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS OCCUPATIONAL EMPLOYMENT AND WAGE STATISTICS - MERIC OCCUPATIONAL EMPLOYMENT PROJECTIONS 2018-2028

- **Now** occupations typically requires short-term on-the-job training, little to no experience, and/or a high school diploma. *Personal Care Aides, Home Health Aides,* and *Taxi Drivers & Chauffeurs* are projected to be the fastest growing Now occupations.
- Next occupations typically requires non-degree certificate, associate degree, apprenticeship, some experience, or moderate- to long-term training. Oil and Gas Rotary Drill Operators, Respiratory Therapists, and Occupational Therapy Assistants are projected to be the fastest growing Next occupations.
- Later occupations typically requires a bachelor's degree or higher. Information Security Analysts, Physician Assistants, and Nurse Practitioners are projected to be the fastest growing Later occupations.



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Sources: Data for this analysis has been extracted using Burning Glass Technologies, Labor/Insight™ tool that collects information from over 35,000 web sources, including job boards, newspapers, and large and small employer websites. Missouri Economic Research and Information Center (MERIC) uses this data to compile and publish reports for the state and labor market regions. While this analysis presents a broad picture of hiring activity and serves as a measure of labor demand, it does not capture openings that are filled through other networks.

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